GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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GRANTS TO GANDHIAN STUDIES
Chandrappan Shri C.K.

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

to the reply given to USQ. No.535 dated July 23, 2003 and state:

(a) whether the Government has received any memorandum from the authorities of Institute of Gandhian Studies, Varanasi requesting to restore its grants and aids; and

(b) If so, the steps taken to put the institute back on rails?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT(SHRI M.A.A. FATMI)

(a) &(b) Yes, Sir. Ministry of Human Resource Development has withdrawn its orders of 27th August, 1999 under which ICSSR was directed to stop grants-in-aid due to the Institute. The State Government has been requested to renew the registration of the Institute to enable the latter to receive funds.